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Inventors: OLESINSKI, Wlodek et al.
Filing Date: April 11, 2001
Our Ref No: 123081-339613 (T01215-0073-US)

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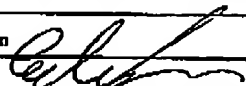
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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
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Art Unit: 2661
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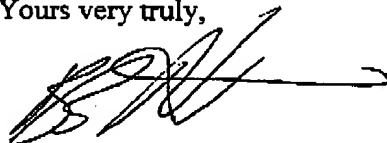
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